

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 145

By Crowe

A RESOLUTION to congratulate Mr. Edward C. Herbert and Ms. Teresa K. Shortt on the celebration of their union in holy matrimony.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly takes great pleasure in paying tribute to those successful courtships that have culminated in the most loving and hopeful of committed relationships, holy matrimony; and

WHEREAS, on March 8th, 2003, the two will be joined in holy matrimony, evermore facing the world as one, and basking in the glow of their love for each other during both life's joys and sorrows; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Herbert and Ms. Shortt have been highly respected citizens of the Johnson City community for years; they are the very epitome of good neighbors, as they always endeavor to treat others as they would like to be treated; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Herbert is widely known and respected for his past role as the General Sales Manager of WJHL-TV 11 and his current employment as Vice President of Communications and Marketing for Mountain States Health Alliance; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of the East Tennessee State University School of Nursing, Ms. Shortt has been an admirable health care professional for many years and in many capacities, and is currently the Director responsible for North Side Hospital in Johnson City; and

WHEREAS, each of these remarkable individuals has been blessed with children; Edward Herbert has two children, Katie and Eddie, and Teresa Shortt has a son, Bill; and

WHEREAS, the blessed union of these two will grow and prosper as an expression of time-honored family values and selfless love; and

WHEREAS, marriages such as the forthcoming one between Ed Herbert and Teresa Shortt are truly the rock-solid foundation upon which our society is built and a beacon of sanity and continuity in these turbulent times; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Mr. Edward Herbert and Ms. Teresa Shortt on the celebration of their wedding and wish them a lifetime of happiness and wedded bliss together.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.